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Subject: Re: Your Comments on Mountain Counties Region in CWP.

Paul some more suggested changes, corrections for the Chapter on Mountain Counties Region

Using the original draft for line item reference may we make the following suggestions and needs to more accurately define our changes.

Page 1 Line 14 A question has arisen as to why Sacramento County is included in this chapter. The high point of Sacramento County is about 500 feet, adjoining El Dorado County line. No other Valley county is included in the Mountain Counties area.

Page 1 Line 24 The phrase "some agriculture" seems apologetic and not consistent with the reality in the mountain county areas. Suggest that the word "some" be dropped.

Page 1 Line 33 Suggest that the phrase "for downstream or out-of-basin users" be added after prior appropriations.

Page 1 Line 36 Suggest that the concept of this primary source of supply refer to **public** consumptive water supplies that are locally developed surface water.

Page 3 Line 7 Suggest replacing "the" with "some".

Page 3 Line 21 Many recent advances have been made in the development of acreage to the production of premium wine grapes which is adding greatly to the economies of the foothill areas. Believe it would

be proper to add "premium wine grapes" to this paragraph.

Page 4 Line 1 Areas should read "area's".

Page 4 Line 14 Delete "the" before agricultural....

Page 4 Lines 14 thru 19. Mercury does not just come from the mines, it occurred from stamp mills and placer mining and some mention of this fact should be included.

Page 5 Line 7 At the end of the sentence suggest adding "and the impossibility of employing groundwater banking and conjunctive use strategies."

Page 5 Line 27 "vegetative" should read "vegetation".

Page 5 Line 31 "localize" should read "localized"

Page 5 Line 45 "prohibit" should read "prohibits"

Hope you can make these corrections. In addition I have been contacted by several agencies who each individually has one or more projects that they would like to add to the "Project examples". What would be the latest date to get these projects added to the list?

See you tomorrow morning. JIM C